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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Noriaki SATO, et al.	)	Examiner: Unassigned
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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document listed on the enclosed PTO-1449 form. A copy of the listed document is also enclosed.

The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S.

Applications:

<u>APPLICATION NO.</u>	<u>INVENTOR(S)</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>	<u>GROUP ART UNIT</u>
10/244,012	Naoki ENOMOTO Takashi SHIBUYA Masaru SHIMURA Seiji SAITO	9/16/2002	2852
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